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# THE DAILY COMMONWEALTH.

FRANKFORT.....MONDAY, FEB. 21, 1848.

## KENTUCKY LEGISLATURE.

### IN SENATE.

SATURDAY, Feb. 19, 1848.

The Journal was read by the Clerk.  
A message from the House, announcing the passage of certain bills, &c.

### Petitions.

Petitions were presented by Senators Grey and Swope, and appropriately referred.  
Mr. BOYD, from the committee on Religion, had leave to report a bill from the House, divorcing Elizabeth A. King.

Mr. TODD moved to amend the bill by adding a section divorcing Hannah Dolin, of Fayette county; carried.

Mr. WILLIAMS moved to amend the bill by adding a section divorcing John Deha, of Bourbon county; carried.

Mr. EVANS moved to amend the bill by adding a section divorcing John M. Garrison, and wife; carried.

Mr. HEADY moved to amend the bill by adding a section divorcing Henry Tunnel, and wife; carried.

Mr. THOMAS moved to amend the bill by adding a section divorcing Catharine G. Stillwell; carried.

Mr. BRADLEY moved to amend the bill by adding a section divorcing Elizabeth Sweeney, of Hopkins county; carried.

Mr. RICE moved to amend the bill by adding a section divorcing Jacob Lockwood; carried.

Mr. TAYLOR had no idea that it would defeat the passage of the bill, yet to show to the country how Senators stood on this matter, he would call the yeas and nays.

The vote being then taken on reading the bill as amended a third time was decided in the affirmative, by the following vote: Yeas 15, Nays 13.

Mr. PATTERSON moved to dispense with the third reading, in order to put the bill on its passage.

Mr. SWOPE was determined to arrest the passage of the bill if possible, and he therefore called the yeas and nays on dispensing with the third reading. The vote stood, yeas 21, nays 9. Four-fifths voting in the affirmative being required on dispensing with the third reading, the motion was lost.

Mr. PATTERSON moved that the bill have its third reading on Monday next at 11 o'clock; carried.

The following message was received from the Governor, read, ordered to go on the Journal, and be printed:

Gentlemen of the Senate  
and House of Representatives:

In my annual message, communicated to you at the commencement of the present session of the General Assembly, it was shown that there had been an increase of the funded debt of the State, above what it was at the commencement of the preceding General Assembly, by the amount of \$10,159 86. This apparent increase of the debt, grew out of the fact that the holders of the Kentucky State Bonds that were due, failed to present them at the Treasury for payment, as they were notified, by proclamation to do.

The act of the present session of the General Assembly, with regard to those bonds, has had the desired effect of forcing them in for redemption, and I am gratified to be able to state to you, that since the commencement of the present session, there has been paid off of the public debt:

6 per cent. 6 years bonds, - - -	\$14,600 00
6 per cent. 6 years Railroad bonds, - - -	1,000 00
5 per cent. bond, - - -	1,000 00

Total amount of payments, \$16,600 00

Thus, not only has the increase of the debt been paid off, but the debt itself has been reduced below the minimum at which it stood when the increase took place.

The means of the Sinking Fund have not only been sufficient to diminish the debt, as above stated, but there remains at this time in the Treasury, to the credit of the Sinking Fund, the amount of \$177,182 37. This amount, together with the anticipated receipts, will enable the Commissioners, in the course of the present year, to meet promptly the accruing interest of the debt, and to diminish, still further, the principal of the debt to the extent stated in my message at the commencement of the session.

Supposing you would like to have a knowledge of this change in the State debt, and of the present prosperous condition of our financial affairs, to bear home to your constituents; I have felt called on to communicate them.

WM. OWSELEY.

### High Court of Impeachment.

The Court being duly opened for the trial of Jno. A. Duff, late Surveyor of Perry county, for high crimes and misdemeanors in office, Mr. HARLAN, counsel for the respondent addressed the Court until 12 o'clock, at which time the Court took a recess until half past 2 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. EVANS, the rule was suspended to take up a joint resolution from the House, providing for a final adjournment on the 28th day of February.

The question being, "shall the resolution be adopted?" was decided in the affirmative.

### Special order of the Day

Being the election of a Keeper of the Penitentiary.

Mr. HOBBS was appointed to inform the House, that the Senate was now ready to proceed with said election by joint ballot.

A message was received from the House by Mr. BARLOW, informing the Senate that the House was now ready to proceed with the election of a Keeper of the Penitentiary.

Mr. J. SPEED SMITH nominated NEWTON CRAIG.

After the usual interchange of nominations, and no other candidate being nominated, NEWTON CRAIG was declared unanimously elected Keeper of the Kentucky Penitentiary until March, 1855.

Mr. WALKER, from the committee on Propositions and Grievances, had leave to report a bill from the House, giving an additional Constable to the counties of Logan, Washington and Fleming. The bill was read and passed.

Mr. TODD, from the committee on Finance, had leave to report a bill for the benefit of Thos. Rankin, Jailor of Harrison county—allowing him \$50, the amount of a reward paid by him for the apprehension of a prisoner—who escaped jail, charged with murder.

Mr. WILLIAMS moved to amend the bill by adding a section allowing Jos. Porter, Jailor of Bourbon county, \$50, the fourth of the amount paid by him of a reward for the apprehension of a negro prisoner, who escaped jail, charged with rape; rejected.

Mr. DRAFFIN was opposed to taking money out of the Treasury for any such purpose—he hoped Senators who kept such a close guard over the

Treasury would wake up and see that this bill was defeated.

The question being taken on the third reading of the bill, the yeas and nays being demanded, stood thus: Yeas 21, nays 11. The bill was then read and passed.

### Orders of the Day.

The bill to incorporate the Frankfort and Lexington Railroad company.

Mr. HELM offered an amendment providing that when the Railroad from Louisville to Frankfort shall have been completed it shall continue in connection with the Frankfort and Lexington Railroad as one road; reserving the right to each company to govern their respective ends of the road.

Mr. DRAFFIN addressed the Senate in opposition to the amendment, arguing that the effect of the amendment would be to destroy the Navigation of the Kentucky River, and declared that the small interest of the State in this road was no comparison to her interest in the slack water navigation of the Kentucky. He was in hopes the amendment would be rejected.

Messrs. HOBBS and HELM spoke in favor of the amendment, arguing that as facilities for transportation and travel are increased, the articles of transportation and travel are increased in proportion—revenue will be received in the increased value of the lands on the road and the property at the terminations, as well as the certain tax laid upon the capital invested in the road—the State, in the whole measure, would be advantaged instead of being injured.

The debate was continued by Mr. Duffin in opposition to the amendment, and Mr. Hobbs in favor of it, when,

On motion, the Senate took a recess until half past 2 o'clock.

### EVENING SESSION.

Leave was given to Mr. TAYLOR to introduce a supplementary bill to an act to incorporate the Paris and Winchester Turnpike Road Company, and the North Middletown Turnpike Road Company, and for other purposes; whereupon, he introduced the said bill, which was read and passed.

Leave was given to Mr. SWOPE to introduce a bill to amend the charter of the Falmouth Bridge Company; referred.

### High Court of Impeachment.

The Court was duly opened for the continuation of the argument in the trial of Jno. A. Duff, late Surveyor of Perry county, for high crimes and misdemeanors in office.

Mr. HARLAN in behalf of the respondent, and Mr. TOWLES for the Commonwealth, having closed the argument in the case, the Court went into secret session to ascertain the opinions of the various members, before delivering the verdict.

At 7 o'clock, the Court took a recess until Monday morning.

On motion, the Senate adjourned.

### HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

SATURDAY, Feb. 19, 1848.

The House was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. ROBINSON, of the Presbyterian Church.

Journal was read by the Clerk.  
A message in writing from the GOVERNOR, in relation to the financial condition of the State, and it was ordered to be printed.

Petitions were presented by Messrs. Kerrick, (also a remonstrance,) J. Field, Miller, (also a remonstrance,) Blanton and Quarles, which were appropriately referred.

Mr. SPEED moved a re-consideration of the vote by which the bill for the benefit of Isaac Bush was rejected; carried, and the bill was re-committed.

Mr. JOHNSTON moved a re-consideration of the vote, by which the bill to amend the several acts incorporating the town of Paducah was passed. He had been informed that the friends of the bill wished to amend it, so as to make it less objectionable, &c.

Mr. HAGGARD opposed the motion, and insisted that the object of the re-consideration was to obtain the possession of this same property, &c., as intended in the first.

Mr. T. D. BROWN was in favor of the motion, in order to give an opportunity to amend the bill. He could see no objection to granting the same rights and powers to Paducah, which were granted to other river towns, &c.

Mr. GAINES was opposed to the motion, as the close of the session was near at hand, and there were important measures to be acted upon, and he hoped the motion would be voted down.

Mr. COLLINS advocated the motion. The friends of the bill proposed to amend by adding a section, making it obligatory upon the town to build and keep at the foot of a certain street, a good and sufficient wharf boat. He reviewed the grounds upon which the opposition to the bill had been based, and showed that the proposed amendment would obviate the objections urged against it, &c.

Mr. BOURLAND was in favor of the motion, and advocated it at some length. He was of the opinion that the good of the county demanded the passage of the bill, and he should vote for it.

The motion to re-consider was then lost.

Mr. WINTERSMITH—Chairman of the committee on Federal Relations—laid upon the table the following joint resolution, which lay over one day under the rule:

WHEREAS, the construction of a Railroad across the continent of North America would make the United States the great highway between Europe and the populous and wealthy Empires of Asia; would greatly facilitate our own intercourse with those regions; would consolidate the interests of our Union; would connect and bind Oregon and the Pacific coast to us; and would give a fresh impetus to our great agricultural, manufacturing, and commercial interests; and whereas, this stupendous work can be accomplished by an appropriation and sale of the public lands, which constitute a fund applicable for defraying the expenses of the undertaking, as a small part of them would furnish the means, and the value of the remainder would be greatly enhanced thereby; and whereas, the plan of Mr. Asa Whitney, of New York, in its great outlines, is, in our opinion, the only practicable scheme for the accomplishment of this great undertaking, which should be commenced without delay. Therefore,

1. Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, That we approve of Mr. Whitney's plan, as explained by himself to us, of constructing a Railroad from Lake Michigan to the Pacific Ocean, from an appropriation and sale of the public lands on its line, connecting the sale and settlement of the lands with the building of the road, making it an individual enterprise, still under the control of Congress; and we earnestly recommend its adoption, and the measure to the early and favorable consideration and action of Congress.

2. Be it resolved, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be and they are hereby requested to give this measure their prompt attention and support.

3. Be it resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be and he is hereby requested to transmit a copy of these resolutions and preamble to the Executives of each of the States in the Union, and a like copy to the Senators and members of the House of Representatives from this State in the Congress of the United States.

They were ordered to be printed, and made the special order for Monday.

A message from the Senate, announcing the passage of certain bills, &c.

Mr. McKINNEY of the committee on Enrollments made a report.

### Reports from Select Committees.

Mr. BELL, a bill to change the name of James Riley Hannon, of Ohio county, and for other purposes; read.

Mr. BELL moved to amend, by adding a clause to change the name of Greenbury Clarke, and for other purposes; adopted.

Mr. BLANTON offered to amend the bill, by adding a clause to change the name of M. and N. Turner, &c.; adopted, and the bill was then passed.

Mr. HUDSON, a bill giving an additional Constable to Wayne county; read and passed.

Mr. JOHNSTON, a bill for the benefit of Millers; read.

Mr. BOYD moved to amend, so as to make it applicable to all mills propelled by steam; adopted.

Mr. MILLER moved to amend, by inserting "public," before mills.

Mr. BUSH moved to lay the bill upon the table; carried.

Mr. BLANTON, a bill to legalize the acts of William Teal, of Owen county; read and passed.

Mr. CULTON, a bill to amend the act requiring the several County Courts to procure weights and measures for their respective counties; read.

Mr. HUGHES moved an amendment, by giving the several counties the right to order them made or not as they desired, and also extending the time to 18 months; the bill was then passed.

Mr. HARRELD, a bill to change part of the State road leading from Bowlinggreen to Greenville; read and passed.

Mr. BOULWARE, a bill for the benefit of John H. Parish; read and passed.

Mr. JUDD, a bill for the benefit of Garnet Dowell; read and passed.

Mr. BELL, a bill for the benefit of Thos. Phipps, Sheriff of Ohio county; read and passed.

Mr. BALLINGAL, a bill to amend an act to incorporate the Carlisle and Sharpsburg Turnpike Road Company; read and passed.

Mr. T. D. BROWN, a bill to revise and amend the charter of the Shepherdsville and Louisville Turnpike Road Company, with amendments thereto; read.

Mr. R. H. FIELD explained the amendments, and he believed that they obviated the objections urged against the original bill. The amendments were then adopted.

Mr. HAGGARD was opposed to the bill, ever with its amendments. It would be a tax upon all the Southern portion of the State that traded with Louisville, and it would have a tendency to drive patronage from that city. This was the only road by which his constituents could get to Louisville without being tolled, and they have got over all the worst portion of the road to that city, when they get to this road, and he was opposed to taxing a large portion of the State for the purpose of benefiting a few capitalists who owned this road. He opposed the bill at some length.

Mr. BARLOW fully concurred with the gentleman from Cumberland, (Mr. Haggard.)

Mr. BUSH thought the passage of this bill was actually demanded for the welfare of the City of Louisville.

Mr. R. H. FIELD thought the opposition to this bill was ungenerous and selfish. It was not the only road by which the citizens of Cumberland could get to Louisville, there were other roads. The city of Louisville was very much interested in the passage of this bill, as well as the whole State, and he hoped it would pass. He advocated the bill at some length.

Mr. T. D. BROWN had some objections to the original bill, but the amendments had obviated those objections. The constituents of the gentleman from Cumberland, (Mr. Haggard) had varied interests; they had some interest in every thing that he chose to oppose. It seemed to him that the bill was so clearly right, that there could be but few in this House who would oppose it.

Mr. HAGGARD was replying to the gentleman from Hardin, (Mr. Brown) when 12 o'clock having arrived, the Speaker announced the

### Special Order of the Day.

Messrs. Barlow, Collins and Talbott were charged with a message to the Senate, announcing that the House was ready to proceed to the joint order of the day—the election of Keeper of the Penitentiary.

A message from the Senate, announcing the readiness of that body to proceed to the joint order.

Nominations being in order, Mr. BARLOW nominated Mr. NEWTON CRAIG.

Mr. COMBS stated he had been requested to announce that Mr. JESSE BAYLES would not be a candidate for that office.

The same committee informed the Senate of the nomination of the House.

Senator J. SPEED SMITH announced a message from the Senate, that Mr. NEWTON CRAIG was the only person in nomination before the Senate.

The same committee having compared the joint vote of both Houses, announced that Mr. NEWTON CRAIG was unanimously elected Keeper of the Penitentiary.

Mr. COMBS advocated the passage of the bill under consideration when 12 o'clock arrived, and insisted that its passage was demanded upon the principles of justice to the people of Louisville, and a great portion of the State. He advocated the bill at some length.

Mr. BARLOW opposed the passage of the bill at some length, and replied to the gentleman from Fayette, (Mr. Combs.)

Mr. TOWLES said, that if he understood the project under consideration, it merely proposes to grant a charter for a turnpike road from the city of Louisville to Shepherdsville, in the adjacent county of Bullitt. The people wishing the construction of this road, ask nothing from the treasury, and propose to make it entirely with their own means. The rates of tolls to be collected are not charged to be onerous or more than a fair equivalent for the increased facilities for transportation the road would afford. It was with surprise then, that he witnessed the opposition of the usually liberal gentlemen from Munroe and Cumberland, (Mr. Barlow and Mr. Haggard) the only grounds of opposition so far as he understood them, were, that at certain seasons, the constituents of those gentlemen were under the necessity of hauling their produce and merchandise to, and from Louisville, along the proposed road, and they would be under the necessity of paying toll. He hoped that a mud road would be kept open for the special and particular use of those gentlemen and their constituents, and that the citizens of Louisville and Bullitt, who preferred good roads to bad ones, would be allowed to construct a road with their own money. The gentlemen had remarked that there were no turnpike roads in their counties, and their constituents were necessarily compelled to travel some distance on bad roads, in order to reach a turnpike. He was the last man upon this floor, even by the most remote insinuation, to impugn the motives of any gentlemen, and disclaim any such intention, but it seemed to him, that opposition upon the part of gentlemen who represent counties where they either would not, or could not, construct turnpike roads, to their construction by those who can, and will make them, and for use and convenience, they are deemed necessary, might find a parallel, in the well known case of the dog in the manger, who, because he could not eat the hay himself, would not allow the ox to do so. He was in favor of constructing turnpike roads in every part of the Commonwealth where they might be deemed necessary, and it could be done without undue expense to the treasury. The prosperity of every county depended very materially on the state of its highways, which constituted a very considerable portion of the arterial system of the commerce of the country, and he hoped, that in cases where good roads cannot be constructed at the public cost, that individuals or corporations might be allowed to construct them under proper guards and limitations.

The yeas and nays being called on the final passage of the bill, it was carried; 65 to 26.

Mr. BOULWARE, a bill to amend the 65th section of the militia law; read and lost.

Mr. HUGHES, a bill for the benefit of George Johnson; read, when

Mr. WOLFORD moved to amend by adding a section for the benefit of James Clark, Sheriff of Casey county; adopted.

Mr. ELLIOTT moved to amend by adding a section for the benefit of the Sheriff of Breathitt county; adopted.

Mr. WILLIAMS moved to amend by adding a section for the benefit of Joseph Lumpkins and Jesse Cassidy, of Morgan county; adopted, and the bill as amended was then passed.

Mr. FORDE, a bill for the benefit of Martha Anderson; read.

Mr. FORDE made a statement of the facts in the case, and advocated the passage of the bill.

Mr. WILLIAMS was in favor of all such bills as these, and he should vote for them.

The bill was further discussed by Messrs. Hughes, Williams, Warren and Towles.

The yeas and nays being called, it was lost; 33 to 43.

Mr. HUGHES moved to re-consider the vote by which the bill to amend the charter of the Carlisle and Sharpsburg Turnpike Road Company was passed.

Mr. BALLINGAL was opposed to the motion.

Mr. COLLINS wished to have the vote reconsidered, in order to refer it, and allow the friends and opponents of the bill to appear before the committee.

The motion was then lost.

Mr. CARLISLE, a bill to change a part of the State road in Kenton county; read and passed.

Mr. BELL, a bill to authorize the Court of Appeals of the 49th Regiment, Kentucky Militia, to hear appeals in certain cases; read and passed.

Mr. GARNETT had leave to bring in a bill to amend an act for the benefit of the Lexington, Harrodsburg and Perryville turnpike company; referred.

Mr. RALEY had leave to bring in a bill for the benefit of Benjamin Lancaster's administrators and heirs; referred.

Mr. MCREYNOLDS, a bill for the benefit of Geo. W. Boyle; read.

Mr. CHILTON moved to amend by adding a section for the benefit of Drury W. Taylor; adopted.

Mr. M. E. WHITE offered to amend by adding a section for the benefit of Isom J. Jones; adopted, and the bill was then passed.

Mr. J. STEVENS had leave of absence for the balance of the session.

Mr. HAGGARD, a bill to allow an additional term to the Cumberland Circuit Court; read.

Mr. DOUGERTY moved to amend by adding a section to allow an additional term to the Pendleton Circuit Court; adopted.

Mr. ELLIOTT moved to amend by extending the provisions of the act to the Floyd Circuit Court; adopted, and the bill was then passed.

Mr. ELLIOTT had leave to bring in a bill to change the venue in the prosecution of Wm. Ratliff, Matthew Clay, David James, Wm. McCoy and James Howard; referred.

Mr. BUSH moved to take up out of the orders, a House bill, amended in the Senate, to incorporate the Paris, Winchester and Kentucky River Turnpike Company; carried, and the amendments of the Senate were concurred in.

And then the House adjourned.

### For the Commonwealth.

#### WHIG MEETING IN MARSHALL.

At a meeting of the Whigs of Marshall county, in Benton, on Monday, the 7th day of February 1848, DANIEL PACE, was called to the Chair, and PHILANDER PALMER, appointed Secretary.

The object of the meeting being to appoint delegates to meet their Whig friends in Frankfort, on the 22d inst., to select candidates for the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth, &c., was explained by the chairman, when the following gentlemen were appointed, viz: Philander Palmer, Marquis Barnett, R. E. Rowland and Langston Pace.

The meeting then unanimously

Resolved, That we do not conceive that the vital interests of our beloved Commonwealth, will be so greatly promoted by a change in her fundamental laws, as some seem to imagine; yet, since a great majority of our fellow-citizens seem to demand, and have declared in favor of it; and suppose themselves oppressed and aggrieved by our present constitution, and feeling that it may be beneficially amended; and believing that the wisdom and purity of our conventions will retain in a new, the unobjectionable; while they expunge the noxious features of the old one, we heartily approve of the calling of a convention.

Resolved, That in bidding adieu to our present constitution, we cannot but feel that we are parting with a tower of strength, which has supported and protected our proud State, unscathed amid the storms of discord and waves of party strife; and that we tender to its venerable framers and their departed spirits, viz: Bullitt, Adair, Rowan, Ewing, Marshall, Grundy, Bell, Logan, Breckinridge and others, our sincere thanks for the many blessings which the exercise of their wisdom in its formation, has hitherto secured to us.

Resolved, That as a respectable portion of the citizens of our State are opposed to the call of a convention, and have rights and privileges which should be respected, we learn with feelings of sincere regret, that some of our neighboring county meetings have instructed their delegates to vote for no man as candidate for Governor, who is not a thorough-going, wool-dyed, teeth and toe-nail, conventionalist, even though he be a talented, sterling Whig, gentleman and scholar.

Resolved, That such a course is but calculated to disturb the equality of operations in the meeting, embitter feelings and sow discord, distrust, and probably the seeds of defeat, in the canvass.

Resolved, That believing ARCHIBALD DIXON, our present Lieut. Governor, to be that talented, sterling Whig, gentleman and scholar, our delegates above named, are hereby instructed and requested to vote for him as such candidate, if there be a probability of success; yet, should there be others more prominent, embodying the above requisites, we desire the exercise of their own good judgment, in selecting the most available.

Resolved, That having every confidence in the ability and integrity of our friend and neighbor, Judge JAMES CAMPBELL, of McCracken county, we hereby instruct our delegates to vote for him as the nominee of said meeting of 22d inst., as the Whig candidate for the office of Lieutenant Governor—leaving them, however, free to act as under instructions, touching the selection of a candidate for Governor.

Resolved, That should Mr. Dixon and Judge Campbell receive the nominations as candidates for the offices named, we, individually and collectively, tender them, or any other nominee of said meeting, our hearty support and suffrage.

Resolved, That the conquest of a peace in Mexico, founded upon, or having for its object, territorial indemnity, is but the conquest of a seat for military despotism; that military despotism is but monarchical anarchy; and that all monarchies and anarchies are incompatible with the spirit of our laws and usages, and incongenial to the feelings of our enlightened population.

Resolved, That our Union, in the conquest connection, is in an ugly predicament; that the Whigs of Marshall did not so place it; are unable to extricate it or foretell the results.

Resolved, That for President of the United States, during the four years commencing 4th March, 1849, we prefer Henry Clay, of our State, to all living men; but believing the magnanimous "Rough and Ready" man who "never surrenders," to be fully competent to fill that office with dignity to himself and honor to the nation, and more available, as the people's candidate, we therefore recommend him to the country as a suitable one for that exalted office.

Resolved, That the "Frankfort Commonwealth," be requested to publish the proceedings of the meeting as here drawn, and for their compliance, we tender the proprietors our sincere thanks.

And then the meeting adjourned.

DANIEL PACE, Ch'm.

P. PALMER, Sec'y.



# FRANKFORT.

MONDAY.....FEBRUARY 21, 1848.

Single copies of the DAILY COMMONWEALTH neatly enveloped, can be had at the Counting Room of this office for two cents per copy. Single copies of the WEEKLY COMMONWEALTH, containing full reports of the Legislative proceeding, can be had for four cents per copy.

McCLUNG'S SPEECH, delivered before the Colonization Society, is now ready for delivery at the Counting Room of the Commonwealth Office—Price \$3 per hundred.

A Guide to Justices of the Peace, Constables, Clerks, Sheriffs, &c.; with forms for Deeds, Contracts, &c. &c.; by JOHN C. HERNDON, Esq. This work is well got up, in a volume of near 600 pages. For sale at this office. Price, \$3 50 per copy; five or more copies at \$3 each.

CORRECTION.—In the report of the remarks of Mr. McREYNOLDS in the evening session of Thursday, it should have been added: "But he had no doubt of the capacity of the Treasury to meet this appropriation, &c."

MR. TRIST.—It is said that an attempt will be made to try Mr. Trist for violating the laws of his country by an attempt to make peace with Mexico, after his powers as agent were withdrawn, under a law framed January 30, 1847.

SAD NEWS FROM HELENA, ARKANSAS.—The Memphis Appeal learns that the river bank at Helena is caving in very rapidly, and that fears are entertained that the principal portion of the town will be destroyed. Many persons had already removed their families, and in some places the bank had caved to within a few feet of the houses.

THE BLIND.—One of the most interesting exhibitions of the wonderful progress of the pupils of the Kentucky Institution for the education of the Blind, it has ever been our pleasure to witness, took place in the Hall of Representatives, on Friday night last. Mr. PATTEN, the benevolent and most excellent superintendent of that institution, with a view to satisfy the Representatives of the people, that their donations to the institution had been productive of good, brought with him several of the pupils of different ages, and in the presence of a large majority of both Houses of the Legislature, a number of ladies and many citizens of the town and strangers, subjected them to a rigid examination in reading, grammar, arithmetic, geography, music, &c. The examination was eminently successful and satisfactory.

We have often heard it said that the blind excel in music—we saw it fully demonstrated on Friday evening last. A trio, sung by Mr. Smith, the music teacher, and two of the young ladies, pupils, was one of the most touching and beautiful songs we have ever heard. A song by little ELLEN, a beautiful little blind girl of ten or eleven years of age, brought tears to almost every eye. She has a beautiful voice, and sings with a taste and feeling, to which most children of her age are strangers. Indeed every thing connected with the exhibition was in the highest degree creditable to the Superintendent and pupils.

The institution is now in the sixth year of its existence, upwards of thirty pupils are in attendance. An appropriation is needed, we learn from the Superintendent, to purchase an Organ, a Piano, &c., &c. We will not suffer ourselves to doubt the readiness of the Legislature, to give any reasonable sum that may be deemed necessary, for the advancement of so noble and philanthropic an object, as the education and improvement of the condition of the blind. The citizens of Louisville, with their accustomed liberality, have given large sums in aid of this institution; but the people of that city are heavily taxed for other benevolent purposes, and besides, the blind school is a State institution—it is an honor to the State, and the State's Representatives will, we feel assured, be proud to sustain it. The sum appropriated, whatever it may be, will not be missed—Heaven always prospers those who contribute to the unfortunate.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

From the Louisville Journal of Saturday.

PHILADELPHIA, February 18. 8 P. M.

We have intelligence to-day from Saltillo, which states that the Mexicans are preparing to oppose a large force at El Paso. They have planted 12 cannon against the American works at Chihuahua. Warm work is anticipated.

Squire Collins, on his route to Santa Fe, has been taken prisoner by the Mexicans at Presidio.

Alexander Musan, of Meier's company, was hung at Saltillo, for shooting a Mexican revenue officer. Letters have been received at Washington which confidently state that Maj. Van Buren, who reached Vera Cruz by the last train from the capital, will bear a project of a treaty of peace with Mexico and the United States.

The telegraph eastward is out of order.

From the subjoined statement prepared by the 2d Auditor, in response to a resolution of the Senate, it will be seen that there are a very large number of parents in Kentucky who are unable to educate their children.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, Frankfort, Feb. 12, 1848.

The following statement shows the number of Parents and Guardians in the State of Kentucky, having children between five and sixteen years of age, who list property worth from \$400 to \$500; also, those who are worth from \$100 to \$400; those worth less than \$100, and those who have no property. It likewise contains the number of children under each head mentioned:

Parents.	Children.
Number of parents worth from \$400 to \$500, and number of children between 5 and 16 years of age.	4,980 13,792
Number of parents worth from \$100 to \$400, and number of children between 5 and 16 years of age.	8,249 22,815
Number of parents worth less than \$100, and number of children between 5 and 16 years of age.	13,885 38,402
Number of parents who have no property, and number of children between 5 and 16 years of age.	4,124 11,407
Total.	31,238 86,416

In making the above estimate, the counties of Garrard, Henderson, Nelson and Pike were examined, and a true statement taken from the Commissioner's books for those counties. This statement formed the basis of the foregoing estimate. As those counties make, almost, an exact average, the above calculation (though it might not agree perfectly with a complete statement, made from all the Commissioner's books,) may be considered nearly accurate.

THOS. S. PAGE, 2d Auditor.

HUMAN MAGNETISM.—Dr. MILLS, will lecture on Human Magnetism, (for the last time in Frankfort,) at the Court House, this evening, (Monday,) at candle-light.

Dr. M. hopes to be able to present some novel and interesting experiments in this most wonderful science.

THE LOAN BILL.—The bill for the negotiation of the new loan of \$16,000,000, passed the House of Representatives of Congress, on Friday last. Mr. McKay's substitute, proposing to issue a like sum of Treasury notes, instead of the loan, was defeated by a majority of one vote.

The foreign news by the Hibernia, which appeared in the Louisville papers of Saturday, is of an unsatisfactory character. We defer an abstract, until further advices are received.

For the Commonwealth.

As a humble Whig, I have rather been induced to remain a silent listener than an active mover in the political scenes now drawing to a crisis; and but for the fact, of intimations prejudicial to the character of two gentlemen whose names stand before the Whig party for the office of Governor, I should have continued to occupy my former more safe and prudent condition. There can be no wrong in the friends of either of the gentlemen, (who seek that office,) to use all honorable and proper means to promote the ultimate success of their peculiar favorite; and it is equally true, that either of those gentlemen are well qualified to discharge all the duties that may be required of them; but it does seem to me, to be unjust, unwise, and in very bad taste, for the friends of either to attempt, by insinuation or otherwise, to place a false coloring on the past or present action of either of those gentlemen. All that is needed, or can be desired by the Whig State Convention, is to know facts touching qualification and availability before the people; or, in other words, whether either of those gentlemen, under all the circumstances, is now the choice of the Whigs of Kentucky? And from my knowledge of that party in its past struggles, an honest response to this question by the convention, will meet with entire approbation. But, suppose the friends of either, continue to disparage the nomination of Dixon, by insinuations "that he is at heart, and in feeling, opposed to any reform in our present constitution; that he voted at the last August election against the call of a convention; that he is a man of influence, and that his county is anti-convention." What benefit, I ask, can result to the Whig party by this mode of operation? Mr. Dixon has proved himself a tried and faithful Whig; his honesty and integrity has never been questioned; he has at all times publicly and privately proclaimed that he is, and ever has been, a firm and steadfast friend and advocate of the convention; and has it come to this, that he is not to be believed? that his word before the great Whig party is to stand for nothing? Such action is unkind, unmerited, and will eventually be in no good to the Whig cause. Again, it has been whispered in silent and secret places, by those who desire to prostrate forever the political pretensions of Mr. Graves, "that the Cilley duel is a bad affair; that he is a man of blood; that he violated the laws of humanity; that the moral sense and Christian feeling is against his claims for the office, &c." These wicked and false charges have been circulated in each town, county, and hamlet in the state; and for the sole object of forestalling public opinion, and thereby prejudice his just claims towards those who have taken part in this small and pitiful mode of warfare, I would ask what good can accrue to your respective favorites? Or rather, have you weighed the great injury you are inflicting on the Whig party, by a petty gratification of private malice? Are those men who have spent the better part of their lives in the service of their country, and who have been ready at the call of their party, to enter the death struggle for the maintenance of principles held sacred by every true Whig; are they, I ask, to be offered up as a sacrifice on the altar of private malice and personal revenge? Has it come to this, that a few political jades are to ostracize the best soldiers in the great Whig army, in order that they may continue to rule? It will not be denied that each aspirant has the right to define his position in relation to any matter touching the interests of the party—or that may be a fit subject of consideration before the convention.

It has never heretofore become the duty of Mr. Graves to justify his conduct in the Cilley duel, even before his political enemies, much less his friends. But now, when he comes forward for the purpose of relieving his fair name from the suspicion of wrong, and that he might stand fully justified, according to the laws of humanity, before his countrymen, he is met with the rebuke "of electioneering for a high office." These are matters of very delicate texture, and should be referred to with kindness and gentleness. The men who were the immediate friends and advisers of Mr. Graves in that truly unfortunate affair, have, (when called on,) freely testified to his mournful yet manly bearing. And no Kentuckian would dare to insinuate these friends and advisers would at any time become instruments in the hands of a duelist, in order that the laws of humanity should be violated. No human being of manly spirit—certainly no true hearted son of Kentucky, would, under the same circumstances, dare to have done otherwise than was done by Mr. Graves.

## AN HONEST WHIG.

DIED.

In this place, at the residence of her grand father, Major Ben. Luckett, on Friday evening last, LATRA, daughter of William K. and Monarcha Taylor, aged 3 years 9 months and 2 days.

## Frankfort Atheneum,

Will commemorate, with appropriate exercises, the approaching 22d of February, at the Hall of the House of Representatives, at 7 o'clock, P. M. An Oration will be delivered by H. C. HARRIS.

The Members of the Legislature, of the Whig and Taylor Conventions, and the public generally, are invited to participate. BEN. MONROE, Pres't. F. A.

## Flour! Flour!!

Just received from Stearns' Mills, a lot of very superior Family Flour, for sale at \$5 per barrel. E. B. JOHNSON, Frankfort, February 19, 1848.

## General Advertisements.

### LADIES' FAIR.

THE "LADIES' SOCIETY" of the Presbyterian Church in Frankfort, propose holding a FAIR for the sale of FANCY ARTICLES and REFRESHMENTS, on the 2d and 3d inst. In the upper room of the COURT HOUSE—also, to provide a PUBLIC DINNER on Wednesday, at 1 o'clock, at the same place. The proceeds of the Fair are to be applied to aid in the completion of the new and elegant church building already commenced on Main street. Their object being to render aid in a cause so good in itself, and so popular with those who feel an interest in the improvement of the town, the Ladies hope for a liberal patronage.

Frankfort, Ky., February 19, 1848.

### Warner's Patent Premium Pumps.

THIS novel invention, combining the greatest simplicity, durability and economy, with the most efficient action, is acknowledged by all who have tested its merits, to be superior to all respects, to any Pump now in use, for it not only embraces the qualities of an ordinary Pump, but is an efficient FIRE ENGINE.

These Pumps are suited to Cisterns and Wells of all depths. They have been adopted by the City Council of Louisville, for the Public Wells. The Pump was exhibited at the Great Fair in New York city, in October, 1846, and there obtained a Silver Medal, as the best exhibited, a New York City Manufacturer coming off second best. These Pumps are manufactured at No. 611, Main street, Louisville, Ky., by B. WARNER & CO. Persons in this town and vicinity, who wish to procure them, have an opportunity of seeing them put up by one who is experienced in the business. Call and see them, (one in operation) at Frankfort, Feb. 18, 1848.—11w&d

HYDRAULIC FOUNDRY, 611, Main Street, Louisville, Ky. (One Square above the Galt House.)

VERIFICATION OF CASTINGS made to order, at this establishment. Also—Manufacture and keep on sale, WARNER'S PATENT PUMPS, Cast Iron Pipes, of all sizes, a splendid article for Fire Engines and Lead Pipes for houses; Leather and Gum Elastic Hose, Hose Couplings, &c. Orders respectfully solicited.

REFER TO—F. MONTMOLLEN, Esq., Lexington. TODD & CRITTENDEN, Frankfort. CORNWELL & BROTHER, Louisville. Louisville, Feb. 18, 1848.—202-3m&d

Hedging! Hedging!! BUSHES ORANGE SEED, the best article in the market for Hedging, fresh, direct from Texas, for sale at the lowest Cincinnati prices, by the quart or bushel, at TODD'S BOOKSTORE, No. 1, Seigert's Row. Feb. 18, 1848.

GOLDEN SYRRUP. 20 KGS, 20 gallons each, just received direct from St. Louis, and for sale by TODD & CRITTENDEN, February 17, 1848.

Masonic College of Kentucky. LAGRANGE, OLDHAM COUNTY. THE EIGHTH SESSION of this institution will commence on Monday the 6th of March.

By appointment of the Grand Lodge of Ky. W. D. MURPHY, Esq., of LAGRANGE. W. E. GIBSON, Esq., of OLDHAM COUNTY. ROBERT MALLORY, Esq., of OLDHAM COUNTY. E. T. BERRY, Esq., of HENRY COUNTY. PHILIP SWIGERT, Esq., of FRANKFORT. WILLIS STEWART, Esq., of LOUISVILLE. ABNER CUNNINGHAM, Esq., of CLARKE COUNTY. THOMAS TODD, Esq., of SHAYVILLE. DEXTER CARROLL, Esq., of MARYSVILLE.

By order of the Board, A. M. GAZLAY, Sec'y. LAGRANGE, February 17, 1848.—202-3m&d

The Louisville Courier will publish the above to amount of \$5 weekly, and send account to A. M. G.

Fashionable Hats. THE most beautiful, Beaver and Nutria HATS, of the finest finish, and comfortable fit. A good supply always on hand. Also, Cloth and Fur CAPS, at W. M. TODD'S, No. 1, Seigert's Row, Jan. 6.

Gold Pens. A NEW lot of Brown & Bagley's best Gold Pens, just received and for sale at TODD'S BOOKSTORE, Jan. 6.

New Orleans Sugar. 10 HHDS prime old Sugar; 5 do, new crop, just received and for sale by Jan. 25, 1848. TODD & CRITTENDEN.

Waffle Irons. 1 Dozen pair old fashioned, long handled Waffle Irons; 1 dozen Patent Rotary Waffle Irons, for Cooking Steaks, just received and for sale by [Feb. 16.] TODD & CRITTENDEN.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS DAILY!! STOUTGTON & ELLIS, HAVE made arrangements to receive DAILY, fresh Baltimore CAN OYSTERS, which they will furnish to the citizens at \$2 50 per can, or \$1 25 half can. They expect from the superior quality of their Oysters, to receive a liberal patronage. February 15, 1848.

FRESH OYSTERS! REGULARLY received from the packers, in Baltimore by express packed up in tin cans hermetically sealed and packed in ice and preserved perfectly fresh and pure, which we are authorized to sell at \$2 50 for whole cans, and \$1 25 for half cans. GRAY & GEORGE, Agents for Baltimore Oyster Company. February 15, 1848.

Notice. THE Partnership heretofore existing under the firm of TODD & CRITTENDEN, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st instant.

The business will hereafter be conducted under the firm of Todd & Crittenden, Exclusively by the undersigned. HARRY I. TODD, ROBERT H. CRITTENDEN. Feb. 15, 1848.

All persons indebted to the old firm, are earnestly requested to call and settle their accounts, as it is important that the accounts of the old firm should be speedily closed. Feb. 15, 1848. TODD & CRITTENDEN.

BROOKS & BROTHER, GENERAL AGENCY, Commission and Forwarding Merchants, AND Manufacturers' Agents for the Sale of

LANEAWA SALT. No. 12, EAST COLUMBIA STREET, CINCINNATI. REFER TO—Rev. S. ROBINSON, LAZ. LINDSEY, JOHN WATSON & Co., Frankfort, Ky. R. A. CLAY of Steamer Grey Eagle. DUDLEY & CARTY, HARPER & McKEE, Lexington, Ky. DUNN & ADAMS, Oregon, Ky. TAYLOR & McGRATH, Harrodsburg. L. RUPNER, CLIFTON, ATKINSON & Co., Louisville. CROFT & RAWSON, Feb. 15, 1848.—4-11

DAUGERREAN ARTS. THE subscriber with pleasure acknowledges the liberal patronage received while on visit to this city last summer, and feels satisfied that his skill in this Art is so well known, that he need only say that he is again ready to receive Visitors, at the Rooms he formerly occupied, at Mr. MERIWETHER'S, on Main Street, where he would invite citizens and visitors of Frankfort and vicinity to call and see specimens. February 1, 1848. J. A. KIMBALL.

Mathematical Instruments. OF McCallister's Make, beautiful and perfect, just received and for sale at TODD'S BOOKSTORE. (Jan. 6.)

No. 1 Salmon. 10 KITS, an extra article for family use, just received and for sale by (Feb. 12.) TODD & CRITTENDEN.

Kentucky Statutes. A FEW copies of the Kentucky Statutes, complete, can be had, provided immediate application is made. W. M. TODD, January 6, 1848.

## General Advertisements.

### MEDICAL NOTICE.

DR. F. J. STRATTON, Late of New York, HAVING permanently established himself in the Town of Frankfort, will attend to all calls in the line of his profession. He can at present, be found at the Franklin House, South Frankfort. Feb. 16, 1848.—11\*

Copper Distilled Whiskey. 25 Barrels—Best Brands—Two Years Old—on hand and for sale by [Feb. 16, 1848.] TODD & CRITTENDEN.

Hatchets! Hatchets!! CARPENTERS, Plasterers, and Claw Hatchets, Collins' manufacture, just received and for sale by TODD & CRITTENDEN. Feb. 16, 1848.

10 Barrels Rectified Whiskey, just received and for sale, very low, for cash, by TODD & CRITTENDEN. Feb. 16, 1848.

Rice! Rice!! 1,000 POUNDS, New Crop, an extra article, just received, for sale and for sale by TODD & CRITTENDEN. Feb. 16, 1848.

FURNITURE WARE-ROOM! Large and elegant assortment of Furniture for sale on good terms.

John M. Boggs & Co. No. 499, Main Street, Louisville, Kentucky. HAVE constantly on hand at their Ware-Rooms, a splendid stock of well made FURNITURE, CHAIRS, &c., which they will sell on as good terms as the same articles can be bought in the West. They are engaged exclusively in the manufacture of every thing in their line, and are ready to fill orders promptly, and at small profits. Their present Stock consists in part, of—

Mahogany Dressing Bureaus of all sorts and sizes; Black Walnut Bureaus, of all sorts; Mahogany Chairs of all kinds; French Sofas; Tete-a-Tetes of the French style; Cane Chairs of all descriptions; Bustle Back Chairs, new style; Figured Plush Mahogany Rocking Chairs; Queen Elizabeth Chairs and Tidy for Chairs; Windsor Chairs of all descriptions; Looking Glasses and Mirrors; 1 dozen of the finest Plush Mahogany Chairs in Kentucky; 1 very fine Mahogany Bedstead, at \$100; 1 fine Pedestal Mahogany Wardrobe, at \$140; 1 fine French Mahogany Wardrobe, Looking Glass Door; 50 set of 72 feet Oct. Bedsteads; All sorts Low Post Bedsteads; And many other articles too tedious to mention. JOHN M. BOGGS & CO., No. 499, Main Street, Louisville, Kentucky. February 14, 1848.

MEDICAL BOOKS. I HAVE on hand a small, but well selected lot of MEDICAL BOOKS, consisting of—

Cyclopaedia Practical Medicine, Condie on Diseases of Children, 4 vols. Duglison's Physiology, Wood's Practice of Medicine, new work. Watson's Practice, Dewees on Females, New Dictionary, on Children, Churchill on Diseases of Children, Parson's Wistar, Bartlett on Fevers, new edition, Ellis's Medical Formulary, Ricord on Venereal, Brodie's Clinical Lectures, Churchill's Midwifery, Dewees' Midwifery, Cooper on Dislocations and Fractures, Fownes' Chemistry, &c. Hope on the Heart, Prout on the Stomach, All which will be sold low, and respectfully invites the profession to give him a call. W. M. TODD, No. 1, Seigert's Row. January 6.

LAW BOOKS. THE attention of legal gentlemen is called to the following LAW BOOKS, which will be sold at the lowest Western prices, to wit: Bacon's Abridgment, 10 vols. Story's Equity Jurisprudence, Equity Pleadings, Digest N. York Reports, 4 vols. U. S. Digest, 3 vols. Daniel's Chy. Practice, 3 vols. on Sales, on Bills, Greenleaf on Evidence, Fearne on Remainders, Phillips on Insurance, Pothier on Obligations, Starkie on Slander, Clancy on Husband and Wife, Phillips on Evidence, 4 vols. Cooper's Justiciary, Toller's Law of Executors, Hothouse's Law Dictionary, Stephen on Pleadings, Milford's Pleading, ALSO, A complete set of KENTUCKY REPORTS, (except Hughes and Sneed, which are considered of little value.) W. M. TODD, January 6, 1848.

Juvenile Books. THE largest and best selected assortment ever offered for sale in this place, at TODD'S BOOKSTORE, January 6.

School Teacher Wanted. PARENTS residing in the neighborhood of Steedman's Mill, wish to employ a SCHOOL TEACHER. Thirty Scholars can be had by a Teacher who can come well recommended—none other need apply. To such an one, however, a liberal price will be given. Apply to E. & S. STEEDMAN, Feb. 3, 1848. 2 1/2 miles from Frankfort, on Elkhoru.

Blue Lick Water. H. SAMEL has just received several Barrels of Fresh BLUE LICK WATER. It is for sale at his Tonsorial Institute, opposite the Mansion House. Frankfort, January 28, 1848.—11

Law Notice. JAMES MONROE, Attorney at Law, FRANKFORT KENTUCKY, WILL practice in all the Courts held in Frankfort and adjoining counties. Particular attention given to the collection of claims in surrounding counties, and the preparation of the papers to insure Land Warrants or Treasury Scrip of the volunteers. Office on St. Clair street, near the Court House July 6, 1847.—709-11

A Comfortable Dwelling for Sale. THE FRAME HOUSE, at present occupied by James T. Judge, situated on Ann, between Mero and Clinton streets in this place; possession given the first of April. For particulars, enquire of TODD & CRITTENDEN. Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 7, 1848.—22-11

New Arrivals. RECEIVED per Steamer Isaac Shelby this morning, direct from New Orleans: 32 Hds. prime Sugar, 98 Barrels Molasses, 60 Half do, 50 do Sugar House Molasses, 100 Sacks Rio Coffee, 30 do Java do, Country dealers and Farmers would do well to call and examine the above. N. B.—CLOVER SEED always on hand. LAZ. LINDSEY, Feb. 14, 1848.

Wanted to Hire, FOR the rest of the year, two good able bodied NEGRO MEN, well acquainted with the usual routine business of a Farm. None but good hands will be received—and for such, a liberal price will be paid. Application to hire must be made speedily. February 12, 1848.—11 JOHN S. HARVIE, LEWIS E. HARVIE.

Plantation Molasses. 12 BBLs, very clean and clear, just received and for sale by Feb. 12. TODD & CRITTENDEN.

NAILS! NAILS!! 75 KGS Nails, assorted, just received and for sale by (Jan. 1, 1848) TODD & CRITTENDEN.

Timothy Seed. 5 BARRELS Timothy Seed, just received and for sale by (Jan. 1, 1848) TODD & CRITTENDEN.

BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS. AN additional supply of Boots, Shoes and Slippers, of the very best make, Also, Calf, Kip and Coarse Brogans, received a few days since and for sale at W. M. TODD'S, First door below the Mansion House. January 6.

Hemp Seed! 22 BARRELS HEMP SEED, just received and for sale by February 17, 1848. TODD & CRITTENDEN.

REMOVAL. DOCTOR LLOYD'S DRUG AND CHEMICAL STORE Is Removed To the opposite side of the Street, the Corner House, lately occupied by MUNSSELL & CO., near the Post Office. February 14, 1848.

## Louisville Advertisements.

### Groceries Cheap for Cash!

F. E. PUGH, Wholesale Grocer and Commission Merchant, No. 440, Main, between 5th and 6th Streets, one door above A. Gandy & Co., Louisville, Ky.

MERCHANTS, TRADERS and FARMERS, who visit this Market to buy GROCERIES FOR CASH, I would solicit a call from such before they purchase elsewhere, as I flatter myself I can give better bargains and better satisfaction than they can find at any other establishment. My stock of GROCERIES are generally fresh, and consist of the following assortment:

300 bags prime Rio Coffee, 30 " prime Lagura Coffee, 20 " prime Old Java Coffee, 30 hds. fair and bright New Orleans Sugar, 100 barrels Plantation Molasses, 20 " best quality Sugar House Molasses, 20 half barrels do do, 25 barrels Loaf Sugar, No. 1 to 7, 10 half chests fine Gunpowder Tea, 20 13 lb. boxes do do do, 100 6 lb. " do do do, 100 2 lb. " do do do, 200 boxes Summer Mould Candles, 30 " Star Candles, 50 " Brown Soap, 37 " best City made Starch, 320 Reams best quality Wrapping Paper, 50 " fine quality Foolscap Paper, 60 boxes Musclemen's 12s. half pound and pound Lump Tobacco, 25 " of the best Virginia Oronoko Tobacco, 2000 pounds Bar Lead, 230 bags Shot, No. 1 to 7, 40 " Buck Shot, 100 boxes best fresh Raisins, 20 " fresh Candy, assortment in a box 500 pounds Soft Shell Almonds, 25,000 dozen Hove Factory Yarn, 10,000 " Maysville Yarn, 50 bales Cotton Batting, 60 dozen Painted Buckets, 20 " Varnished Buckets, 20 nests Painted Tubs, 10 " White Tubs, 250 kegs Boston and Juniata Nails, 40 barrels Carolina Flour, 100 barrels best Superfine Flour, 100 boxes fresh Western Reserve Cheese, 75 whole, half and quarter blbs. Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Mackerel, 35 boxes Corned Beef, 2 drums do, 5 tierces new crop Rice, 300 coils Patent Rope, 20 " do Check Line, 10 " do Stern Line, 20 " do Bed Cord Rope, 50 dozen Long and Short Bed Cords, 25 boxes fresh Lemons, 150 bushels Dried Peaches, 100 " Dried Apples, 10 boxes Hoarhound Candy, ALSO—Salatiras, Pepper, Spice, Indigo, Madder, Alum, Copras, Epsom Salts, Brooms, Brandies, Wines, Whiskey, Rum, Gin, Swiss Wine, Carpet Chain, Candle Wick, Blacking, &c. All of which will be sold low for Cash, by Louisville, Jan. 1, 1848. F. E. PUGH.

SNEAD, GARDNER & CO., 419, Main Street, Louisville, Kentucky, Wholesale Grocers, OFFER FOR SALE:

400 bags Rio Coffee, 50 blbs. New Orleans Sugar, 150 blbs. Molasses, 200 bags Cotton Yarn, And a general assortment of GROCERIES. Louisville, January 1, 1848.

Bainbridge, Caruth & Bailly, IMPORTERS OF HARDWARE AND CUTLERY, AND DEALERS IN American Hardware, Castings, Iron, &c. No. 468, Main Street, between Fifth and Ballitt Streets, LOUISVILLE, KY. January 1, 1848.

W. B. BELKNAP, 538, MAIN STREET, LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, Wholesale Dealer in IRON of every description, NAILS, do, STEEL, do, HOLLOW-WARE, CASTINGS, &c. Louisville, January 1, 1848.

D. MARSHALL'S Ladies' and Gentlemen's Boot and Shoe Manufactory, Main, between 4th and 5th Streets, Louisville, Ky.

ALSO, PHILADELPHIA AND FRENCH CALF SKINS, Shoe Thread, Shoe Pegs, Lasts, Boot Trees, With a general assortment of SHOE FINDINGS—for sale by Louisville, Jan. 1, 1848. D. MARSHALL.

W. C. FELLOWS & CO., Auction and Commission Merchants, AND DEALERS IN DRY GOODS, LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY.

CONNECTED WITH FELLOWS, JOHNSON & CO., Commission and Forwarding Merchants, NEW ORLEANS. Cash advances made on shipments to either house. January 1, 1848.

ASW. Woodruff & McBride, DEALERS IN HARDWARE AND CUTLERY; And Farmer's and Mechanic's Tools of every Description—Also, MANUFACTURERS OF PLANES, (which they warrant.) Which they offer for sale, Wholesale and Retail, at No. 33, Third Street, near Main. [Signature of W. Woodruff & McBride] Louisville, January 1, 1848.

Boys Clothing!! Boys Clothing!!! THE subscriber respectfully informs those that are unacquainted, that he keeps constantly on hand, the largest assortment of BOYS' CLOTHING; together with GENTLEMEN'S READY MADE APPAREL, West of the Mountains, at strict uniform prices. W. SAMUEL'S Mammoth Clothing Depot, N. E. Corner of Market and 4th, Louisville, Ky. January 1, 1848.

S. HART. SOL. HART & CO., Merchant Tailors and Clothiers, No. 483, South East Corner of Market and Third Streets, LOUISVILLE, KY. Where can be found at all times a general assortment of READY MADE CLOTHING, Of every variety.

Country Merchants and Retailers supplied on advantageous terms. Louisville, January 1, 1848.

New Saddlery Warehouse. E. STOKES, No. 445, Corner of Main and Fifth Streets, Louisville, Ky. (FORMERLY OF THE FIRM OF E. & W. H. STOKES.)

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and former customers generally, that he has recommenced the above business in all its varieties. He has just received an entire new and well selected stock, embracing a full assortment of the various Hardware articles, and a great variety of TRIMMINGS used by Saddlers, Harness Makers, Carriage and Trunk Manufacturers, together with a general assortment of Carriage and Riding Whips. Persons dealing in the above articles will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere. All orders promptly attended to at the shortest notice. Louisville, January 1, 1848. EDWARD STOKES.

Maison D'or, 471, MAIN STREET, LOUISVILLE, KY. Dealers in Fancy and Simple Dry Goods, Carpeting, Rugs and Oil Cloths. January 1, 1848.

JOHN WATSON, Leather Manufacturer, And Dealer in Coach and Saddlery Hardware, 494, Main Street, near 4th, Louisville, Ky. Also,—A general assortment of Saddles, Harness, Trunks, &c. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. If Agent for the sale of GOODYEAR'S GUM ELASTIC BELTING and HOSES. Orders solicited and punctually filled. Louisville, January 1, 1848.



## General Advertisements.

## HAIR'S VEGETABLE

THE ONLY REMEDY FOR EPILEPTIC FITS, OR FALLING SICKNESS, CONVULSIONS, SPASMS, &c.

It is well known, that from time immemorial, Physicians have pronounced Epileptic Fits incurable. It has baffled all their skill, and the boasted power of all medicine, and consequently thousands have suffered through a miserable existence, and at last yielded up their lives on the altar of insanity. Physicians of every age have pronounced this disease incurable. The proprietors of the Vegetable Extract, however, feel no delicacy in saying, that it can be cured. They would, therefore, respectfully invite Physicians and all others who are interested, to examine the testimony which is here offered. If it is deception, let it be exposed; but if it is true, then in the name of humanity, no longer let it be said that Epilepsy is incurable.

## HAIR'S VEGETABLE EXTRACT.

For sixteen years, has been tested by many persons who have suffered with the dreadful disease, and in every case where it has had a fair trial, has effected a permanent cure. Col. Denison, of New York, states that his daughter has been afflicted with Fits for more than 9 years, and has been cured by the use of the Vegetable Extract. Mrs. J. Bradley, 114, Orchard street, New York, states that she has been subject to Fits for many years, and has been restored to perfect health after every other means had failed by the use of the Vegetable Extract. Dr. Charles A. Brown, of Dover, New Hampshire, who is one of the best Physicians in the State, says that he has been constantly benefited by the use of the Vegetable Extract, and that he unhesitatingly prescribes it in every case of Epilepsy which comes under his knowledge.

Curtis G. Mayberry, Esq., formerly Postmaster at Line Mills, Crawford Co., Pa., now living in Erie Co., Pa., states that he was many years ago afflicted with Fits, and that he is now happy to state that by the use of the Vegetable Extract, he has been cured of a few months, has restored him to sound health, being entirely freed from that worst of all diseases.

FITS OF 25 YEARS AND SIX MONTHS CURED BY THE USE OF THIS TRULY WONDERFUL MEDICINE!

Read the following remarkable case of the son of William Scores, Esq., of Philadelphia, afflicted with Epileptic Fits 25 years and 6 months. After travelling through England, Scotland, Germany and France, consulting the most eminent Physicians, and expending for medicine, medical treatment and advice, three thousand dollars, returned with his son to this country in November last, without receiving any benefit whatever, and was cured by using

## HAIR'S VEGETABLE EXTRACT.

Mr. Wm. Scores' letter to Doctors Evans & Hart—'I have spent over one thousand dollars for medicine and medical attendance. I was advised to take a tour to Europe, which I did. I first visited England. I consulted the most eminent Physicians in respect to his case. They examined him and prescribed accordingly. I returned there three months without receiving any change for the better, which cost me about two hundred and fifty dollars, pocketed by the physicians, and the most I received was their opinion that my son's case was hopeless, and positive. I accordingly left England, and travelled through Scotland, Germany and France, and returned home in the month of November last, with my son as far from being cured as when I left. I saw your advertisement in one of the New York papers, and concluded to try Hair's Vegetable Extract, seeing your statements and certificates of so many cures, some of twenty and thirty years' standing, and can assure you I am not sorry I did so. By the use of Hair's Vegetable Extract alone, he was cured to perfect health. His reason, which was so far gone as to unfit him for business, is entirely restored, with the prospect now before him, of life, health and happiness. He is now 25 years of age, and 27 years and 6 months of this time has been afflicted with this most dreadful of diseases; but thank God, he is now enjoying good health.

Now, gentlemen, faith without works I don't believe in. To say that I shall be ever grateful to you is one thing, and as I here enclose you one hundred dollars, I have no doubt but that you will think this another, and quite a different thing. The debt of gratitude I still owe you, but please accept this token of interest on the debt in advance. Yours, very respectfully, (Signed) WILLIAM SCORES.

## TESTIMONY UPON TESTIMONY.

In reference to the almost miraculous efficacy of this truly wonderful Medicine, read the following letter from Doctor W. L. Monroe, of Guilford, Ohio, one of the most eminent Physicians in that place.

Guilford, Ohio, August 17th, 1846.

Brother Scores in the cause of Humanity:

Dear Sir—It is with no small degree of pleasure that I am enabled to announce to you the complete triumph of your invaluable medicine in cases of Epilepsy. I have prescribed it in several instances in this town, and it has been highly successful in all. Three of the patients, I trust, have been radically cured. The fourth one is rapidly improving, and will, I think without doubt, recover. I am not in the habit of prescribing what recommends Patent Medicines, but I see an article which recommends so much for the relief of suffering humanity, I feel it my duty to recommend it, and I have no hesitation in saying, that as soon as the Faculty are fully acquainted with the use of this medicine, they will close their eyes against prejudice and lend you a helping hand.

I subscribe myself, yours, sincerely, W. L. MONROE, M. D.

To Dr. S. Hart, New York.

OVER FIVE HUNDRED CERTIFICATES.

Have been received during the past year, in testimony of the beneficial results produced by the use of Doctor Hart's Vegetable Extract, prepared by S. Hart, M. D., New York.

THOMAS & MILES, Agents.

147, Main, between 2d and 4th streets—169, Main, between 4th and 5th streets, Cincinnati, Ohio.

THOMAS & MILES, Wholesale and Retail Agents for the South and West, for the sale of Dr. HART'S VEGETABLE EXTRACT, for the cure of Epilepsy, to whom all communications in reference to Dr. Hart's Vegetable Extract, must be addressed, per post.

FOR SALE AT THE COMMONWEALTH OFFICE, THE PROPRIETORS OF WHICH ARE THE SOLE AGENTS FOR FRANKFORT.

G. CHAPIN, Corner of 5th and Market streets, Agent for Louisville.

## Bacon College.

THE Trustees of BACON COLLEGE take pleasure in announcing to its friends and patrons, that the sum of \$11,000 has been raised, and that the college is now in a position to receive students. The college is situated in the town of Bacon, in the county of Warren, North Carolina. The college is a private institution, and is open to students of both sexes. The college is a member of the Southern Association of Colleges and Universities.

They avail themselves of this occasion to tender to the friends and patrons of the institution their grateful acknowledgments for the aid which their liberality and philanthropy have afforded, and which has been the means of saving from entire loss, an institution which has already done much to advance the standard of literature and science, and to confer their blessings upon many, some of whom are meritorious and deserving, but unable, otherwise, to prepare themselves for future usefulness in an elevated sphere.

They take this occasion to say, that the doors of this institution have never been closed against the poor, because of poverty. They sincerely hope that no necessity may ever exist to compel a different course.

As BACON COLLEGE may now be regarded as permanent, we solicit for it the aid of all its friends. Send up your young men, and entrust them to our care. We will do what we can, so to form their characters and cultivate their minds, as to make them ornaments to society, a blessing to their parents, and richly rewarded to the age in which they live.

Done by order of the Board, at Harrodsburg, the 8th day of January, 1848.

SAML. AYRES, Clerk, per tem.

January 13, 1848—dis

## THE EIGHTH SESSION

Of Miss H. M. Brown's School.

TUITION, in the common branches, including Reading, Spelling, Writing, Geography, Grammar, Arithmetic, &c., per session of five months, \$12 00

Per session in the higher branches, including Philosophy, Chemistry, Rhetoric, Algebra, &c., 15 00

French or Latin, 8 00

No deductions made for absence, except in cases of protracted illness. Payments quarterly.

February 2, 1848

## South Frankfort Livery Stable.

ROBERT E. FINNELL.

HAS taken for a term of years, the large Farm Factory of John C. Herndon, and is now fitting it up for the accommodation of those who may give him a call. He will give close attention, and hopes to share a part of the public patronage.

TERMS.

For keeping 2 Horses by the month, \$50 00

By the week, 12 37

By the day, 37

By the single ride, 25

Stands for Vehicles or Horses for safety. Every description of Produce taken in payment.

N. B. Ploughing Laid attended to during the season.

South Frankfort, January 14, 1848.

## Steam Engine for Sale.

I WILL SELL a small STEAM ENGINE, nearly new, upon very accommodating terms. It is of the kind of cylinder, 16 inches stroke, and all apparatus necessary for moving Machinery, except boiler. It may be seen at my Steam Plant, Dressing Manufactory, on Wilkinson street, near Judge Brown's. Any person wishing an Engine, would do well to call on me before purchasing elsewhere.

Frankfort, January 4, 1848.

## SLAVERY.

AS it relates to the NEGRO, OR AFRICAN RACE, examined in the light of circumstances, history and the Holy Scriptures; with an account of the origin of the Black Man's Color, causes of his state of servitude, and traces of his Character, as well as ancient and modern times, with strictures on Abolitionism, by J. H. PRIEST.

The above work is for sale at the Store of FERGUSON & MACKLIN, Frankfort, Ky.

February 10, 1848—501-314-21w

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## Frankfort Advertisements.

LOOK AT THIS BEFORE YOU BUY.  
NEW STOCK OF  
FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS,  
JUST RECEIVED.

BACHELOR & ROBERTSON,

No. 4, Swigert's Row, St. Clair Street, Frankfort, Ky.

ARE now in full receipt of their LARGE and WELL SELECTED STOCK OF

DRY GOODS,

embracing every variety and style of Goods, suited to the present and approaching season. Also, A FINE STOCK OF

Queensware, Caps, Ladies' Shoes, &c. &c.

Constantly on hand every STYLE and VARIETY of GOODS usually kept in DRY GOODS HOUSES in this town.

We return our friends and customers our thanks for past favors, and respectfully invite them, and purchasers generally, to call and examine OUR STOCK BEFORE MAKING THEIR PURCHASES. We pledge ourselves to sell as low as the lowest, to all who may favor us with their custom.

All kinds of Country Goods and Produce taken in exchange for Goods at Cash Prices.

Frankfort, October 7th, 1847—783—by

## GENERAL AGENT.

WILLIAM F. LEATHERS,

General Newspaper Agent, and Collector of every description of Claims placed in his hands.

RESPECTFULLY informs those requiring such services, that he will take charge of any claims for collection in Kentucky, whether for Newspapers, Lawyers, Merchants, or Clerks. He will receive constantly, and during the season visit every part of the State, and make faithful and prompt returns.

Refer to—J. Swigert, J. C. Herndon, Esq., Frankfort, Ky. A. G. Hodges, William Tanner, Frankfort, Ky.

March 30, 1847. 753—1f

## CAPITAL HALL,

Corner St. Clair Street and Broadway, Frankfort.

## A. G. DILLON,

RESPECTFULLY informs the public and the Members of the Legislature, that he has purchased the above establishment, and is prepared to furnish gentlemen with every luxury of the season—such as

OYSTERS, BIRDS, FISH, EGGS, &c. &c.

Frankfort, January 1, 1848.

## Frankfort Clothing Store.

J. G. F. GRIMME.

RETURNS his sincere thanks to the public for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, and solicits a continuance of the same. He has on hand a large and well selected Stock of

Ready Made Clothing,

which he sells equally as cheap as the same articles can be bought in Cincinnati or Louisville.

He has on hand a large quantity of GOODS, suitable for Gentlemen's wear; and having engaged the services of Mr. L. A. SPANGENBERG, an experienced Tailor, he can make any garment in the newest and most fashionable style.

He respectfully invites all to give him a call before making their purchases elsewhere.

His establishment is in DUDLEY'S CORNER ROOM, immediately opposite the Store of Ferguson & Macklin, and the Old Bank.

Frankfort, January 13, 1848.

## GROCERIES, &amp;c.

LOOK OUT FOR GOOD BARGAINS!!

WE invite the special attention of our friends in the town and county, and others visiting our town, to an examination of our STOCK OF GROCERIES, &c. Those wishing really good and cheap articles in our line, will do well to give us a call. We have now on hand a large lot of GROCERIES—and a considerable quantity of Staple DRY GOODS, &c., consisting in part of,

Coffee, Sugar, Spices, Butter, Cracked Corn, Meal, &c. &c.

Also—HATS, CAPS, &c.; BOOTS AND SHOES; SPUN COTTON, CASSIMERE VESTINGS, &c.

All of which we will sell or barter for all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, on as good terms as any other regular House in town.

READING & WILLIAMS.

Broadway, opposite the Capital Square, Frankfort, January 20, 1848—178

ROUGH AND READY HANDKERCHIEFS.

JUST received a beautiful assortment, (all colors) of the above article, made entirely of Kentucky Silk, with a beautiful Portrait of the Old Hero.

BACHELOR & ROBERTSON,

January 18, 1848—15H No. 4, St. Clair Street.

## House and Sign Painting.

HAVING secured the services of J. ATKINSON, one of the best workmen in the West, I am now prepared to do all kinds of Imitations of Woods and Marbles, Signs, Banners, and Transparencies, Masons, Old Fellows and Sons of Temperance Regalia. Also, all kinds of House, Steam Boat and Ornamental Painting. As I am determined to employ none but the best of workmen, and will warrant every job to be done in the best manner and of good materials, I solicit a share of patronage. I will attend to all finances and contracting, and will give satisfaction and at Cincinnati prices.

Frankfort, Jan. 19, 1848—168

H. G. BANTA.

## Frankfort Female Seminary,

UNDER THE CHARGE OF MR. & MRS. NOLD.

THE next Session will commence on the 1st Monday of February next, and continue twenty weeks.

The patronage the Institution has received since its establishment, has been such as to render the permanency of it certain; and Mr. & Mrs. N. trust that the experience of more than thirteen years' constant teaching, will enable them to afford facilities for the improvement of Young Ladies, of a superior character. Therefore, in their appeal to the public for patronage, they feel confident that they can render entire satisfaction to those who may entrust them with the education of their daughters.

Pupils entering after the commencement of the Session, will be charged from the time of entrance to the close of the Session, but no deduction will be made for absence except in cases of protracted illness.

Terms, per Session of 20 weeks.

(One half to be paid in advance.)

English branches, \$12, \$15 and \$20 00

Musical, 25 00

Sewing, Drawing and Painting, each, 10 00

Boarding, Washing, &c., 50 00

Refer to—Gov. Wm. Owsley, Rev. J. J. Bullock, Hon. James Harlan, Col. James Davidson, Judge Ben. Monroe, Hon. B. Y. Owens, Esq., Hon. T. Metcalfe, L. Broadhead, Esq.

January 4, 1848—767—1f

## DENTISTRY.

DRS. MAJOR & WARNER, Resident Dentists,

RESPECTFULLY tender their services to the citizens of Frankfort and its vicinity, in the various branches of their profession—such as the CLEANING, FILLING, EXTRACTION and INSERTION OF TEETH.

For the insertion of Teeth on Plates, no charge will be made unless entire satisfaction is given; and the public may rest assured that no exertions will be spared to render all of their operations as skillful as possible.

N. B. Persons are requested to call and have their Teeth examined free of charge. Specimens of work always open for inspection.

At the corner of Main and Ann Streets, over Dr. Crutcher's Drug Store.

Frankfort, March 16, 1847—753—by

## DOCTORS PRICE &amp; KEENE,

WILL give their undivided attention to the practice of Medicine in Frankfort and its vicinity. Residence and Office on Main Street, immediately opposite Dr. Lloyd's Drug Store, and one door below James Burges' Grocery Store.

June 9, 1846—713—1f

## DOCTORS PHYTHIAN &amp; WATSON

HAVE this day associated themselves in the practice of PHYSIC and SURGERY.

DOCTOR PHYTHIAN will give his chief attention to Surgery, Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Children—branches of the profession in which he has been extensively engaged for eighteen years. He is a licentiate of the Royal College of Surgeons (London), and was for four years a dresser in St. Thomas' Hospital, under Sir Astley Cooper. DOCTOR WATSON's Office on St. Clair Street, near the Bridge.

Frankfort, Kentucky, January 1, 1847

## Fresh Family Flour.

20 BBLs. fresh Family Flour, a prime article, in store and for sale by

Jan. 18, 1848. GRAY & GEORGE.

## Notions.

PURSES, Pocket Books, Purse Silk, Rings, Steel Beads and Tassels, Combs, Hair and Shaving Brushes, Steel Pens, Sewing Machines, &c. &c. for sale at

TODD'S BOOKSTORE.

January 6.

## Frankfort Advertisements.

"THE KENTUCKY JUSTICE."  
A GUIDE TO  
JUSTICES, CLERKS, SHERIFFS, &c.  
CONTAINING

The office and authority of Justices of the Peace; the duties of Clerks, Sheriffs, Constables, Jailers, Coroners and Escheators, in the State of Kentucky, whether arising under the Common or Statute Law of the State, or of the Laws of the United States.

TO WHICH IS ADDED,

AN APPENDIX,

Containing approved forms for Deeds of Bargain and Sale, Leases, Mortgages, Bills of Sale, Powers of Attorney, &c.

This branch of the work in relation to Justices of the Peace, being fourth edition of the "Kentucky Justice," by JACOB SWIGERT, Esq., revised and amended by JOHN C. HENSON.

This work is now ready for delivery at the counting room of the Commonwealth office, and can also be had at Charles S. Rodley & Co's., Lexington; M. Todd's, Frankfort; Morton & Griswold's, Louisville; Lewis Collins', Maysville; Lyle & Walker's, Paris. Price, \$3 50 per copy.

Where persons will club and remit us Thirty dollars for the first volume, by the Carriers of the public books, we will have them well and carefully packed.

A. G. HODGES & Co.

Frankfort, Ky., 1847.

ANOTHER ARRIVAL

AT THE

GREAT WESTERN CLOTHING STORE.

The best bargains ever offered in this Market.

THE LARGEST STOCK OF READY-MADE CLOTHING

Ever brought to Frankfort.

SOLOMON WEILER & CO.,

At the Great Western Fashionable Clothing Store, No. 3, Brown's building, and one door below the Commonwealth Office, St. Clair Street, Frankfort, Ky.

Another arrival of very superior Clothing of the latest style, and made of very superior Goods. Their stock of Goods, and their prices, are such as to suit the times. Cloth, Cassimere, Cassimere, and at prices to suit the times. Cloth, Cassimere, Cassimere, and at prices to suit the times.

Also, a stock of Superior Traveling Trunks, which they will sell on good terms.

S. W. & C., grateful for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon them since they opened the Great Western Clothing Store in Frankfort, are determined to continue that patronage by strict attention to the wants of the people, and by sparing neither pains nor expense to supply those wants. They intend to keep at all times, a good stock, and they intend to sell cheap; they therefore invite all to call at their establishment before they purchase elsewhere.

Frankfort, Ky., October 19, 1847—784—6m.

LIFE INSURANCE.

NAUTILUS (MUTUAL LIFE) INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 29, WALL STREET, NEW YORK.

THIS Insurance, which confines its business exclusively to Life Insurance, has now been in operation two years and a half, during which period it has issued 153 policies, and for the first eighteen months it experienced no loss. Its losses for the whole time have been less than \$18,000—leaving an accumulation of about \$65,000 on hand, beyond the payment of claims and expenses. This, added to the original guaranty capital of \$300,000, places the security of the Company on a basis so solid as no longer to admit of a rational doubt.

All its profits accrue to the credit of the dealers, and are divided annually among the policy holders. The policy is issued for a limited period or for the whole term of life, a feature unknown in the charter of any other Mutual Life Insurance Company incorporated in this State.

Two dividends of 50 per cent. each, on the amount of premiums received, in accordance with the provisions of the charter, have been declared, and are credited to the accounts of the assured, and for which scrip certificates will be issued.

A dividend of 6 per cent. on the first year's scrip has likewise been declared, payable in cash, to the holders thereof on DEMAND, at the office of the Company.

They seem equally as well adapted to Ages of long standing as more recent ones. I could add a great many certificates in support of what has been said above, as regards their success; but that would swell unnecessarily this publication. A few respectable witnesses are worth a host of the others. Let me say what Dr. John McRoberts, Druggist and Physician in Lawrenceburg, Kentucky, says, whose acquaintance with the Nautilus Pills is better than that of any other person.

LAWRENCEBURG, Ky., Oct. 1847.

As local Agent for this place since some time last spring; and in every instance that has come to my knowledge, they have succeeded in curing the Chills and Fevers. I heartily recommend them to the public, as a remedy every way worthy of confidence.

JOHN McROBERTS.

CAMDEN, ANDERSON COUNTY, Ky., Oct. 1847.

This is to certify, that I have been acting as Dr. J. E. Penney's local Agent at this place, in selling his Nautilus Pills; and in no case have they failed to cure, where the directions have been followed.

ELIJAH ORR.

SALT RIVER, ANDERSON COUNTY, Ky., Oct. 1847.

This is to certify, that my grand daughter was afflicted with Chills and Fevers last spring. I procured two boxes of Nautilus Pills, and gave them by the directions; she was promptly and effectually cured. Some of my neighbors have used them with like success.

DAVID EGBERT.